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Sir:

In response to the one-month Election of Species Office Action dated April 27, 2007,
Applicant elects Species a, encompassing claims 1-12, for examination in the present
application.

Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application(s) for the non-elected
claims any time during the prosecution of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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